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Encl: (1) Biography w/Photo of Captain Randy C. Stearns
(2) Biography w/Photo of Captain Christopher J. Boyle
(3) Biography w/Photo of CMDCM Steven D. Allen
(4) Organization Chart

1. Command Data:

- a. Command: Commander, Strike Fighter Wing Atlantic (CSFWL)
- b. UIC: 09103
- c. Commander: Stearns, Randy C., CAPT
- d. Date Assumed Command: 27 Feb 15
- e. Mission/Command Employment/Area of Operations:
Operational control over a Fleet Replacement Squadron, Strike
Fighter Weapons School Atlantic and administrative control over
16 F/A-18 squadrons undergoing shore-based training.
- f. Permanent Location: Naval Air Station Oceana (NASO),
Virginia Beach, VA
- g. Immediate Superior in Command:
 - (1) Operational: Commander, Naval Air Force Atlantic
(CNAL)
 - (2) Administrative: CNAL
- h. Names of Squadrons/Units assigned under your operational
control:

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(1) Subordinate Activities/Commands/Detachments CSFWL exercises operational and administrative control over:

Strike Fighter Squadron 106 C/D, NAS Oceana
Strike Fighter Squadron 106 C/D (Sea), NAS Oceana
Strike Fighter Squadron 106 E/F, NAS Oceana
Strike Fighter Squadron 106 E/F Full Time Support Unit (FTS), NAS Oceana
Strike Fighter Squadron 106, Key West Detachment, NAS Key West
Strike Fighter Weapons School Atlantic, (SFWSL), NAS Oceana
Aviation Supply Detachment (ASD), NAS Oceana
Aviation Supply Detachment (ASD), NAS Key West
Navy Weapons System Evaluation Program (NWSEP) Detachment, Tyndall AFB

(2) Subordinate Activities/Commands/Detachments. CSFWL exercises administrative control over:

Strike Fighter Squadron 11
Strike Fighter Squadron 15
Strike Fighter Squadron 31
Strike Fighter Squadron 32
Strike Fighter Squadron 34
Strike Fighter Squadron 37
Strike Fighter Squadron 81
Strike Fighter Squadron 83
Strike Fighter Squadron 87
Strike Fighter Squadron 103
Strike Fighter Squadron 105
Strike Fighter Squadron 131
Strike Fighter Squadron 136
Strike Fighter Squadron 143
Strike Fighter Squadron 211
Strike Fighter Squadron 213

i. Type and number of aircraft assigned:

F/A-18A	03
F/A-18B	06
F/A-18C	106
F/A-18D	22
F/A-18E	98

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j. Commands, Detachments or Units deployed onboard or stationed aboard as tenant activities: N/A

k. Number of personnel assigned:

Officers: 22 CSFWL NAS Oceana
01 CSFWL Det Tyndall

Enlisted: 40 CSFWL NAS Oceana
01 CSFWL Det Tyndall

Civilians: 14

l. Command Point of Contact:

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2. Commander's Assessment

a. Mission. To man, train and equip Strike Fighter squadrons in order to conduct carrier-based combat and support missions. Maintain operational control of a Fleet Replacement Squadron and Strike Fighter Weapons School and administrative control of 16 operational VFA squadrons specifically:

CSFWL is responsible for Total Force Readiness and individual unit training of all fleet F/A-18 squadrons within his community. CSFWL will review the Aviation Financial Analysis Tool (AFAST) and Naval Aviation Readiness Integrated Improvement Program (NAVRIIP) Cockpit Charts (CPCs) providing detailed analysis for squadrons to identify areas to reduce cost and improve efficiency in the execution of the Flying Hour Program (FHP). Although this basic responsibility extends throughout the deployment cycle of individual squadrons and units, the Type Wing Commander exercises direct control only when these squadrons and units are based ashore at the parent air station.

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During such periods, the Type Wing Commander will direct the transfer of aircraft and assets. The Type Wing Commander will direct the transfer and training of personnel as necessary to provide the trained manpower required to support the mission, aligning People Ready for Tasking (PRFT) with the Fleet Response Plan (FRP). The Type Wing Commander will schedule such functions as command inspections, corrosion control inspections, aircraft modification programs, unit weapons deployments and competitive exercises, to ensure all units maintain set levels of combat. The Type Wing Commander seeks the cooperation, assistance and readiness recommendations of the appropriate Air Wing Commander during the planning and exercise of this control. CSFWL is the designated Air Launched Weapons Team (ALWT) lead under the umbrella of the Naval Aviation Enterprise (NAE) Current Readiness Team (CRT). ALWT includes key stakeholders involved in the air launched weapons enterprise including resource sponsors, providers, and required personnel, to ensure the Aviation War Fighter can provide optimal weapons capability for the right target, at the right time, at the right cost.

The responsibilities of CSFWL are as follows:

(1) Exercises functional management control of all assigned Strike Fighter squadrons at NAS Oceana. Additionally, exercise administrative and operational control of the Fleet Replacement Squadron (Strike Fighter Squadron ONE ZERO SIX), SFWSL, ASD, NAS Oceana and Key West, and NWSEP.

(2) Maintain necessary administrative, training and logistic liaisons with appropriate agencies and command.

(3) CSFWL, as the ALWT lead, maintains a CFT structure with members representing a broad spectrum of the NAE. The team provides a forum for ongoing communications between NAE stakeholders while developing and implementing comprehensive readiness metrics used to accurately assess and describe fleet aviation ordnance readiness. The ALWT employs metric analysis and collaboration to examine and evaluate air launched weapons management to include: requirements, acquisition, logistics, and industrial base management to optimize efficiencies and reduce costs.

b. CSFWL is a major Type Wing and reports directly to CNAL.

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3. Chronology:

05 Jan 15	Safety held an Decompression Sickness (DCS)/Aviation Life Support Systems (ALSS) brief ICO VFA-15/106 (NAS Oceana, VA)
07 Jan 15	Safety conducted Instrument Ground School (IGS)/Night Vision Goggle (NVG) Refresher training (NAS Oceana, VA)
08 Jan 15	COMMO/Deputy/CMDCM attended CNAL's Change of Command (CoC) held aboard the USS GEORGE H.W. BUSH (Norfolk, VA)
08 Jan 15	Held CSFWL/NASO TRIAD meeting (NAS Oceana, VA)
08 Jan 15	Safety attended the Bird and Animal Strike Hazard (BASH) working Group session (NAS Oceana, VA)
09 - 18 Jan 15	AMCS (b) (6) completed a mid-cruise Maintenance Condition Inspection (MCI) ICO Carrier Air Wing (CVW)-17 onboard USS CARL VINSON (CVN-70) (SEA)
12 - 16 Jan 15	Conducted Maintenance Program Assist (MPA) ICO VFA-34 (NAS Oceana, VA)
16 Jan 15	Retirement ceremony (b) (6) (b) (6) (NAS Oceana, VA)
16 Jan 15	Safety attended NASO Safety Committee/Traffic meeting (NAS Oceana, VA)

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19 - 23 Jan 15	Conducted MPA ICO VFA-143 (NAS Oceana, VA)
21 Jan 15	Held Commanding Officers' (COs') meeting (NAS Oceana, VA)
21 Jan 15	Conducted IGS/NVG Refresher/Reduced Oxygen Breathing Device (ROBD) training (NAS Oceana, VA)
21 Jan 15	Safety attended NASO Safety meeting/Aviation Safety Awareness Program (ASAP) round table (NAS Oceana, VA)
22 Jan 15	CNATTU CoC (NAS Oceana, VA)
26 - 30 Jan 15	Conducted MPA ICO VFA-83 (NAS Oceana, VA)
28 Jan 15	Conducted ROBD training ICO VFA-106 (NAS Oceana, VA)
30 Jan 15	Commissioning ceremony IHO AZCS (b)(6) (NAS Oceana, VA)
02 - 06 Feb 15	Conducted MPA ICO VFA-103 (NAS Oceana, VA)
03 Feb 15	Boeing Representative, Mr. Brennan provided COMMO/Deputy an F/A-18 Production Line/ Sustainment update (NAS Oceana, VA)
03 Feb 15	Deputy/CMDCM spoke as guest speakers at the Department Head Leadership Course (DHLC) (Dam Neck, VA)

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08 Feb 15 Held re-up ceremony ICO (b) (6)
(b) (6) (NAS Oceana,
VA)

09 Feb 15 Staff Delegate (STAFFDEL)
visit IHO Congressman
Forbes/Christy Grubbs (NAS
Oceana, VA)

09 - 13 Feb 15 CDR (b) (6), LT (b) (6), ATCS
(b) (6) Mr. Ingold/Davis
attended the Integrated
Logistics Support Management
Team (ILSMT) conference
(Jacksonville, FL)

09 - 13 Feb 15 Conducted MPA ICO VFA-143
(NAS Oceana, VA)

09 - 13 Feb 15 Conducted MCI ICO VFA-31/213
(NAS Oceana, VA)

10 Feb 15 COMMO/Deputy participated in
VFA-106 Carrier Qualification
(CQ) Detachment (DET)

17 - 20 Feb 15 Conducted MCI ICO VFA-15/87
(NAS Oceana, VA)

18 - 27 Feb 15 LCDR (b) (6)/LT (b) (6)
attended the Enabling Naval
Aviation Requirement Group
conference (ENARG)
(Albuquerque, NM)

20 Feb 15 Held pre-deployment brief ICO
VFA-11/136/211 (NAS Oceana,
VA)

24 Feb 15 Held command quarters (NAS
Oceana, VA)

26 Feb 15 Last flight ICO CAPT (b) (6)
(b) (6) (NAS Oceana, VA)

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27 Feb 15	CSFWL CoC (NAS Oceana, VA)
02 - 06 Mar 15	Conducted MPA ICO VFA-31 (NAS Oceana, VA)
05 Mar 15	LCDR (b)(6) attended the Joint Strike Fighter (JSF) Conference (Suffolk, VA)
03 Mar 15	Held PCS move meeting ICO VFA-11/136 (NAS Oceana, VA)
03 Mar 15	Presented Civilian of the Year (COY) award IHO Mr. Richard D. Callahan, ASD (NAS Oceana, VA)
05 Mar 15	Held Prospective Commanding Officer (PCO) meeting ICO CDR (b)(6) (NAS Oceana, VA)
06 Mar 15	NAS Oceana CoC (NAS Oceana, VA)
09 - 13 Mar 15	Conducted MPA ICO VFA-213 (NAS Oceana, VA)
13 Mar 15	Held PCO meeting ICO CDR (b)(6) (NAS Oceana, VA)
16 - 20 Mar 15	Conducted MPA ICO VFA-15 (NAS Oceana, VA)
16 - 20 Mar 15	LCDRs (b)(6) attended the JSF Conference (Ft Worth, TX)
17 Mar 15	Held PCO meeting ICO CDR (b)(6) (NAS Oceana, VA)

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17 - 19 Mar 15 Mr. Welch attended the Manpower Manning Conference for CVW-3 (Millington, TN)

18 Mar 15 Maverick program update provided by Raytheon, Mr. Ron Hoppock (NAS Oceana, VA)

19 Mar 15 CSFWL hosted visit IHO Royal Navy, Cdre Kyd (NAS Oceana, VA)

22 - 27 Mar 15 AE1 (b) (6) attended the Joint Service Wiring Action Group (JSWAG) Conference (Warner Robins, GA)

23 - 27 Mar 15 Conducted MPA ICO VFA-37 (NAS Oceana, VA)

26 Mar 15 CSFWL/Fleet Readiness Center Mid Atlantic (FRCMA) hosted visit IHO RADM Yuen, Chief of Supply Corps (NAS Oceana, VA)

26 Mar 15 Chaplain (b) (6) served as guest speaker at CSFWL's Women's History Month program (NAS Oceana, VA)

26 Mar 15 Held PCO meeting ICO CDR (b) (6) (NAS Oceana, VA)

27 Mar 15 VFA-106 CoC (NAS Oceana, VA)

27 Mar 15 Deputy/Ms. Whitman attended NASO Public Affairs (PA) meeting (NAS Oceana, VA)

27 Mar 15 Chaplain (b) (6) served as guest speaker for SFWSL Women's History Month Program (NAS Oceana, VA)

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02 Apr 15	Deputy/Gunner attended the NASO "Rocket" meeting (NAS Oceana, VA)
06 Apr 15	CSFWL/NASO hosted STAFFDEL Colvert visit (NAS Oceana, VA)
07 Apr 15	Deputy held Command Qualification Board (NAS Oceana, VA)
08 Apr 15	Command participated in mandatory General Military Training (GMT) Bystander Intervention (NAS Oceana, VA)
10 Apr 15	Supply Management Inspection out-brief provided by ASD, CDR (b) (6) (NAS Oceana, VA)
13 - 17 Apr 15	CDRs (b) (6) attended the Training and Readiness (T&R) Conference (San Diego, CA)
14 Apr 15	Held CSFWL/NASO TRIAD meeting (NAS Oceana, VA)
14 Apr 15	Deputy/CMC participated in the DHLIC (Dam Neck, VA)
16 Apr 15	VFA-131 CoC (NAS Oceana, VA)
16 Apr 15	CVW-1 CoC (SEA)
21 Apr 15	Command participated in mandatory GMT/Bystander Intervention (NAS Oceana, VA)
21 - 22 Apr 15	LCDR (b) (6) attended the JSF Security Conference (Suffolk, VA)

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23 Apr 15	VFA-37 CoC (NAS Oceana, VA)
23 Apr 15	Held office call (O/C) IHO Royal Air Force/NAVAIR representatives (NAS Oceana, VA)
23 Apr 15	Held O/C ICO Strike Fighter Wing, U.S. Pacific Fleet (CSFWP) Commodore/Deputy Commodore, CAPTs (b)(6) (b)(6) (NAS Oceana, VA)
27 Apr 15	Held awards presentation IHO HM2 (b)(6) (NAS Oceana, VA)
28 Apr 15	Command participated in a Sexual Assault Prevention Representative (SAPR) event titled "Denim Day Walk" (NAS Oceana, VA)
29 - 30 Apr 15	Deputy/LCDR (b)(6) attended the Live Virtual Constructive (LVC) Subject Matter Experts (SME's) Symposium (Dam Neck, VA)
04 - 06 May 15	COMMO/CDR (b)(6) participated in the Sawgrass Tournament Players Club Military Appreciation Celebration Event/Fly-over (Jacksonville, FL)
04 - 06 May 15	Deputy attended the Boeing CAG/MAG conference (St Louis, MO)

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10 May - 14 Jul 15 AZ2 (b) (6) attended the Naval Aviation Logistics Command Management Information Systems (NALCOMIS) "C" School (Pensacola, FL)

12 May 15 Held PCO meeting ICO CDR (b) (6) VFA-32 (NAS Oceana, VA)

12 May 15 COMMO/deputy participated in the VFA/VMFA OOR Update VTC (Prep)

13 May 15 Held COS' meeting (NAS Oceana, VA)

14 May 15 Held CAPTs call ICO Department of the Navy (DoN) civilians (NAS Oceana, VA)

14 May 15 VFA-31 CoC (NAS Oceana, VA)

18 - 21 May 15 COMMO attended CNAF O-6 Commanders Training Symposium (San Diego, CA)

18 - 21 May 15 Conducted MPA ICO VFA-15 (NAS Oceana, VA)

21 May 15 Held command Physical Readiness Test (PRT) (NAS Oceana, VA)

28 May 15 CVW-8 CoC (NAS Oceana, VA)

01 - 05 Jun 15 ATCS (b) (6) attended the Active Electronically Scanned Array (AESA) Radar Maintenance Plan Review (El Segundo, CA)

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01 - 13 Jun 15 AZCS (b) (6) attended the Advancement Readiness Review Conference (ARRC) (Pensacola, FL)

02 Jun 15 COMMO/CDR (b) (6) attended FRCMA Day (NAS Oceana, VA)

02 - 06 Jun 15 Deputy and LCDRs (b) (6) participated in aircraft (AC) transfer (Bahrain)

04 Jun 15 VFA-81 fly-in (NAS Oceana, VA)

05 Jun 15 VFA-32 CoC (NAS Oceana, VA)

05 Jun 15 COMMO attended USS ARLINGTON CoC (Norfolk, VA)

08 Jun 15 COMMO/Deputy provided CNAL a Fleet Replacement Squadron (FRS) Quarterly update (Norfolk, VA)

08 - 12 Jun 15 COMMO attended a Transition, Goals, Plans and Success (TGPS) seminar (Norfolk, VA)

09 Jun 15 British 3-star visit (NAS Oceana, VA)

11 Jun 15 Deputy participated in the TYCOM Readiness Workshop (TRW) preparation telecon

15 Jun 15 Held PCO meetings ICO CDRs (b) (6) (VFA-87/105) (NAS Oceana, VA)

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15 - 18 Jun 15 CDR (b) (6) attended the F/A-18 Sustainment Program Manager Review (PMR) (St Louis, MO)

17 Jun 15 Held command quarters (NAS Oceana, VA)

17 Jun 15 CNAL/COMMO/Deputy attended an Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association (AOPA) Presidential lunch (NAS Oceana, VA)

18 Jun 15 COMMO participated in a Virginia Pilot interview (NAS Oceana, VA)

22 - 24 Jun 15 Mr. Todd Ingold/Greg Davis attended the F/A-18 Integrated Maintenance Concept (IMC)/Phased Maintenance Interval (PMI) Summit (Beaufort, SC)

22 - 27 Jun 15 LT (b) (6) AFCEM (b) (6) AMCS (b) (6) ATCS (b) (6) AZCS (b) (6) AECS (b) (6) AOCS (b) (6) LSC (b) (6) ADC (b) (6) AMEC (b) (6) and (b) (6) conducted an MPA ICO Top Gun (Fallon, NV)

29 Jun - 02 Jul 15 ATCS (b) (6) and ADCS (b) (6) conducted a MCI ICO VX-23 (Patuxent River, MD)

29 Jun - 03 Jul COMMO, CDR (b) (6) and LCDR (b) (6) attended the F/A-18 Naval Aviation Requirements Group (NARG) (Lemoore, CA)

01 Jul 15 VFA-87 CoC (NAS Oceana, VA)

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02 Jul 15 VFA-15 CoC (NAS Oceana, VA)

02 Jul 15 VFA-136 CoC (SEA)

20 Jul 15 Held PCO meeting ICO CDR (b) (6)
(b) (6) SFWSL (NAS Oceana, VA)

20 - 28 JUL 15 LT (b) (6) AMC (b) (6) AM1
(b) (6) AE1 (b) (6) and
AME2 (b) (6) conducted a mid-
cruise MCI on CVW-1 onboard
USS THEODORE ROOSEVELT
(CVN-71) (SEA)

04 AUG 15 COMMO/Deputy attended brief
IHO UK Minister of Defense
w/RADM Haley (NAS Oceana, VA)

06 Aug 15 CVW-2 CoC (Lemoore, CA)

06 Aug 15 CVW-3 CoC (NAS Oceana, VA)

10 - 11 Aug 15 COMMO attended the Naval
Aviation Enterprise (NAE)
Supply Summit hosted by
Commander, Naval Air Force
(CNAP) (Philadelphia, PA)

10 - 14 Aug 15 CDR (b) (6) LT (b) (6) AFCM
(b) (6) AMCS (b) (6) ATCS
(b) (6) ATC (b) (6) Mr.
Ingold/Davis attended the
Integrated Logistics Support
Management Team (ILSMT)
Conference (San Diego, CA)

13 Aug 15 COMMO held O/C with RDML
Horan (NAS Oceana, VA)

13 Aug 15 VFA-143 CoC (NAS Oceana, VA)

17 - 19 Aug 15 Conducted MPA ICO VFA-83 (NAS
Oceana, VA)

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18 Aug 15 COMMO provided an FRS
quarterly update to CNAL
(Norfolk, VA)

18 Aug 15 COMMO/Mr. Murphy attended the
F/A-18A-D TRW VTC (Norfolk,
VA)

19 - 21 Aug 15 Conducted MPA ICO VFA-103
(NAS Oceana, VA)

20 Aug 15 SFWSL CoC (NAS Oceana, VA)

21 Aug 15 COMMO/Mr. Murphy attended the
Air Board (AB) EXCOMM
(Norfolk, VA)

24 Aug 15 Held CSFWL/NASO TRIAD meeting
(NAS Oceana, VA)

24 Aug 15 COMMO presented the Golden
Wrench Award IHO VFA-81 (NAS
Oceana, VA)

24 - 26 Aug 15 ADCS (b)(6) attended the
Propulsion and Power Program
Management Review (PMR)
(Patuxent River, MD)

25 Aug 15 Held CO meeting ICO CDR
(b)(6) VFA-143
(NAS Oceana, VA)

26 - 28 Aug 15 Conducted MPA ICO VFA-143
(NAS Oceana, VA)

31 Aug 15 COMMO/Deputy attended SFWSL
F-35 briefings (Suffolk, VA)

01 SEP 15 Held promotion ceremony IHO
LCDR (b)(6) (NAS
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03 SEP 15	Held O/C with Raytheon, Mr. Hoppock (NAS Oceana, VA)
08 - 10 Sep 15	COMMO attended the Annual Air Warfare Commanders (AIRWARCOM) conference (Fallon, NV)
11 - 12 SEP 15	COMMO/Deputy attended Tail Hook (Reno, NV)
14 Sep 15	COMMO attended CNAL's NAS Oceana Air Show In-Process Review (IPR) (Norfolk, VA)
16 Sep 15	CPO Pinning Ceremony (NAS Oceana, VA)
22 Sep 15	Chief of Naval Operations (CNO) held Major Commanders Roundtable discussion (NAS Oceana, VA)
25 Sep 15	Held retirement ceremony IHO LN1 (b)(6) (NAS Oceana, VA)
28 Sep 15	Conducted Safe for Flight MPA ICO VFA-87 (NAS Oceana, VA)
04 - 08 OCT 15	LCDR (b)(6) attended the H-12 Integration session (China Lake, CA)
06 OCT 15	COMMO attended CNAL's PCO/PXO class social (Norfolk, VA)
08 OCT 15	Held CSFWL/NASO TRIAD meeting (NAS Oceana, VA)
08 OCT 15	CNAL's Town Hall meeting (NAS Oceana, VA)

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09 OCT 15	COMMO attended the USS GEORGE H. W. BUSH COC (Norfolk, VA)
13 OCT 15	Held Hispanic Heritage Month celebration (NAS Oceana, VA)
15 OCT 15	COMMO/Deputy participated in the Naval Safety Center discussion with RDML Murray (NAS Oceana, VA)
16 OCT 15	Washington State STAFFDEL visit (NAS Oceana, VA)
19 OCT 15	Held O/C with BISIM (NAS Oceana, VA)
19 OCT 15	Held VFA-103 TRIAD pre-deployment brief (NAS Oceana, VA)
19 OCT 15	COMMO attended CNAL's O5 Commanders Training Symposium (Norfolk, VA)
19 - 23 OCT 15	Conducted MCI ICO VFA-106C/D/E/F (NAS Oceana, VA)
26 - 30 OCT 15	Conducted MPA ICO VFA-81 (NAS Oceana, VA)
27 - 28 OCT 15	LCDR (b)(6) /LT (b)(6) participated in magic carpet testing (Patuxent River, MD)
28 OCT 15	Held COs' meeting (NAS Oceana, VA)
04 Nov 15	Held pre-deployment brief ICO VFA-83 (NAS Oceana, VA)
04 Nov 15	Provided spouses early DET meeting (NAS Oceana, VA)

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04 Nov 15	CNAL Safety Center in-brief (NAS Oceana, VA)
06 Nov 15	Held pre-deployment brief ICO VFA-143 (NAS Oceana, VA)
09 - 13 Nov 15	Held command PRT (NAS Oceana, VA)
12 Nov 15	Held Base/CSFWL TRIAD meeting (NAS Oceana, VA)
13 Nov 15	Boeing update provided by Mr. Brennan (NAS Oceana, VA)
16 Nov 15	COMMO/Deputy attended the F-35C brief (Class) (NAS Oceana, VA)
16 Nov 15	Sniper ATP on F/A-18E/F with Lockheed Martin (NAS Oceana, VA)
16 - 19 Nov 15	LCDR (b)(6) attended the Light Integrated Transition Team Conference (Suffolk, VA)
17 Nov 15	Held roundtable w/PERS-43, CAPT Dwyer (NAS Oceana, VA)
17 - 19 Nov 15	Deputy attended the Fall 2015 International Working Group (IWG) conference (Dam Neck, VA)
18 Nov 15	VFA-34 CoC (Sea)
18 - 20 Nov 15	Master Aviation Plan (MAP) 15-02 conference (NAS Oceana, VA)
19 Nov 15	VFA-213 CoC (NAS Oceana, VA)
19 Nov 15	Held annual Thanksgiving Feast (NAS Oceana, VA)

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20 Nov 15 VFA-81 CoC (NAS Oceana, VA)

30 Nov 15 Held O/C ICO Naval Air Warfare Development Center (NAWDC), RDML Conn (NAS Oceana, VA)

01 Dec 15 Held promotion ceremony IHO LT (b) (6) (NAS Oceana, VA)

01 - 20 Dec 15 AZCS (b) (6) attended the Senior Enlisted Academy (Newport, RI)

02 Dec 15 FACSAC VACAPES CoC (Virginia Beach, VA)

04 Dec 15 Held Strike Fighter Ball (Norfolk, VA)

07 Dec 15 Held Advanced Anti-Radiation Guided Missile (AARGM) support meeting with Mr. Jay Johnson (NAS Oceana, VA)

07 - 20 Dec 15 ATCS (b) (6) attended Operating Target (OPTAR) School (Norfolk, VA)

09 Dec 15 Pre-Air Board VTC for F/A-18E-G

10 Dec 15 Held frocking ceremony IHO YN3 (b) (6) (NAS Oceana, VA)

14 - 18 Dec 15 AZ1 (b) (6) attended SAPR training (Norfolk, VA)


15 Dec 15 Held command quarters (NAS Oceana, VA)

18 Dec 15 VFA-15 CoC (NAS Oceana, VA)

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4. Mishap Free Hours as of Calendar Year 2015:

VFA-11 - Over 76,000 Class "A" Mishap free flight hours
VFA-15 - Over 28,000 Class "A" Mishap free flight hours
VFA-31 - Over 48,000 Class "A" Mishap free flight hours
VFA-32 - Over 65,000 Class "A" Mishap free flight hours
VFA-34 - Over 17,000 Class "A" Mishap free flight hours
VFA-37 - Over 69,000 Class "A" Mishap free flight hours
VFA-81 - Over 5,000 Class "A" Mishap free flight hours
VFA-83 - Over 89,000 Class "A" Mishap free flight hours
VFA-87 - Over 19,000 Class "A" Mishap free flight hours
VFA-103 - Over 7,000 Class "A" Mishap free flight hours
VFA-105 - Over 37,000 Class "A" Mishap free flight hours
VFA-106 - Over 8,000 Class "A" Mishap free flight hours
VFA-131 - Over 112,000 Class "A" Mishap free flight hours
VFA-136 - Over 87,000 Class "A" Mishap free flight hours
VFA-143 - Over 3,000 Class "A" Mishap free flight hours
VFA-211 - Over 52,000 Class "A" Mishap free flight hours
VFA-213 - Over 53,000 Class "A" Mishap free flight hours



R. C. STEARNS



CAPTAIN
RANDY C. STEARNS
UNITED STATES NAVY

Captain Randy C. Stearns is a native of (b) (6) and a 1987 graduate of Mansfield High School. He received his commission through The George Washington University NROTC program in May 1991.

Captain Stearns was designated a Naval Flight Officer in March 1993 and received orders to the GRIM REAPERS of VF-101 at Naval Air Station, Oceana for F-14 Tomcat training. His first fleet assignment was with the GHOSTRIDERS of VF-142 aboard the USS GEORGE WASHINGTON (CVN 73) deploying in May 1994. After the decommissioning of VF-142, he reported to the PUKIN' DOGS of VF-143 aboard the USS GEORGE WASHINGTON (CVN 73) and deployed in January 1996 in support of operations over Bosnia and Iraq.

In July 1997, he was selected to attend the Naval Fighter Weapons School in Fallon, Nevada. Upon graduation from TOPGUN, he reported to the Strike Fighter Weapons School, Atlantic as a Strike Fighter Tactics Instructor.

In March 2000, he reported to the JOLLY ROGERS of VF-103 as the Training Officer and deployed aboard the USS GEORGE WASHINGTON (CVN 73) in support of operations over Kosovo and Iraq. During this tour he was awarded the 2000 Navy/Marine Association Leadership Award for F-14 Community Lieutenant of the Year.

In September 2001, he reported to Naval Personnel Command, in Millington, Tennessee as the VF/VFA aviation detailee.

In December 2002, Captain Stearns reported to the SWORDSMEN of VF-32 as a Department Head and served as both Operations Officer and Maintenance Officer. He deployed twice aboard the USS HARRY S. TRUMAN (CVN 75) in support of Operation IRAQI FREEDOM in 2003, and again in 2004-2005. During this tour he was awarded the 2004 AIRLANT NFO of the Year.

In June 2005, he reported to NATO Headquarters, Supreme Allied Commander, Transformation for his Joint Tour.

In November 2008, Captain Stearns reported as Executive Officer to the RED RIPPERS of VFA-11. He assumed command in March 2010, and deployed aboard the USS ENTERPRISE (CVN 65) in support of Operation ENDURING FREEDOM in January 2011.

In May 2011, he reported to Commander, Naval Air Force, Atlantic as the Air Wing Training and Readiness (N40) Assistant Chief of Staff.

He reported to Strike Fighter Wing, Atlantic in February 2015 as the Commander.

Enclosure (1)

Captain Stearns has accumulated over 4000 flight hours and 875 arrested landings. His personal decorations include the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medals, 9 Air Medals (two Individual with Combat "V"), 6 Navy Commendation Medals (two Individual with Combat "V"), a Navy Achievement Medal, and numerous campaign and unit awards.

Enclosure (1)



Captain Christopher J. Boyle
United States Navy

Captain Christopher Boyle was born in (b) (6) and attended the United States Naval Academy, graduating and receiving his commission as an Ensign with the Class of 1992. Reporting to NAS Pensacola in January of 1993, CAPT Boyle was designated a Naval Flight Officer in June of 1995.

CAPT Boyle's initial fleet assignment was to the "Black Knights" of VF-154, forward based in Atsugi, Japan. During his tour with VF-154, CAPT Boyle completed three deployments aboard USS INDEPENDENCE and USS KITTY HAWK, participating in Operation SOUTHERN WATCH and various Pacific Theater exercises. In July of 1999, CAPT Boyle returned to the United States and to VF-101, serving as an instructor and Strike Phase Leader.

In January of 2002, CAPT Boyle reported to the staff of Carrier Air Wing THREE where he served as Strike Operations Officer. During his tour, CAPT Boyle deployed aboard USS HARRY S. TRUMAN and participated in Operations NORTHERN WATCH and IRAQI FREEDOM. CAPT Boyle then served as Safety Officer and Operations Officer of the "Swordsmen" of VF-32, where he completed a second overseas deployment aboard the USS HARRY S. TRUMAN supporting Operation IRAQI FREEDOM.

In November of 2005 CAPT Boyle reported to the Naval War College in Newport, Rhode Island. Graduating in November of 2006, CAPT Boyle was assigned to the staff of Commander Naval Air Force, U.S. Atlantic Fleet as the Master Aviation Plan and Fighter Readiness Officer. CAPT Boyle reported to the "Black Lions" of VFA-213 as Executive Officer in August of 2009 and assumed command in November of 2010. CAPT Boyle led the squadron on a combat deployment aboard the USS GEORGE H W BUSH in support of Operations NEW DAWN and ENDURING FREEDOM.

CAPT Boyle reported to the Joint Staff, Plans and Policy Directorate (J-5) in March of 2012 where he served as a Counter Proliferation Action Officer and Executive Assistant for the Deputy Director for Strategic Stability. In January of 2014, CAPT Boyle reported to the staff of Commander Naval Air Force, U.S. Atlantic Fleet as Air Wing Readiness Officer.

He reported to Strike Fighter Wing, Atlantic in February 2015 as Deputy Commander.

CAPT Boyle has amassed over 3000 flight hours and 600 carrier arrested landings. His decorations include the Meritorious Service Medal, Strike Flight Air Medal, Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal, and the Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal among other unit and campaign awards.

Enclosure (2)



COMMAND MASTER CHIEF
(Air Warfare/Surface Warfare)
STEVEN D. ALLEN SR.
UNITED STATES NAVY

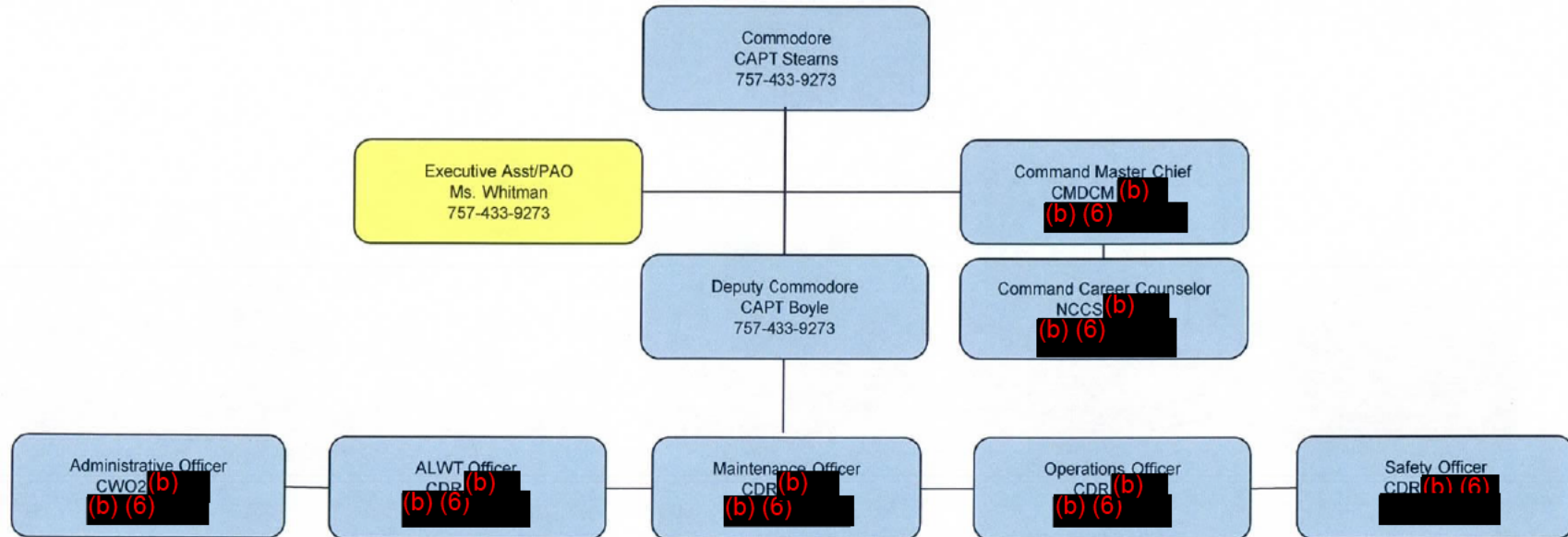
Master Chief Allen, a native of (b) (6), enlisted in the United States Navy on 23 August 1989. Following the completion of basic training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes Illinois he reported to EM "A" school Great Lakes Illinois.

Upon graduation of "A" school in May 1990, he reported to the USS AUSTIN (LPD-4) as Maintenance Man. In June 1995 he reported to Shore Intermediate Maintenance Activity in Pascagoula Mississippi as a Motor Rewind Technician and Work Center Supervisor. In June 1998 he reported to the USS JOHN HANCOCK (DD-981) as Leading Petty Officer until decommissioning in October 2000. While onboard USS Hancock he qualified as Gas Free Engineer, Fire Marshall and Engineering Duty Officer. In October 2000 he reported to the USS HALYBURTON (FFG-40) as Leading Petty Officer and qualified as Engineering Officer of the Watch. In May 2002 he reported to Center for Naval Leadership, Pensacola Florida and was promoted to Chief Petty Officer in September 2002 and later qualified as Master Training Specialist. In May 2005 he reported to the USS CARNEY (DDG-64) as Leading Chief Petty Officer of Electrical and Auxiliaries Division. In February 2009 he was selected as Command Senior Chief and reported to the USS TAYLOR (FFG-50) in June of that year. While serving onboard TAYLOR he was promoted to Master Chief. He reported to the 'Pukin Dogs' in August 2011 VFA 143. In May 2013 he reported to his current position as Command Master Chief for Commander Strike Fighter Wing Atlantic.

His decorations include the Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal (3 awards) and Navy Achievement Medal (4 awards). He has earned his Surface Warfare, Air Warfare and Master Training Specialist. He is a graduate of the U.S. Navy Senior Enlisted Academy, Class 142 (Green).

Enclosure (3)

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Enclosure (4)